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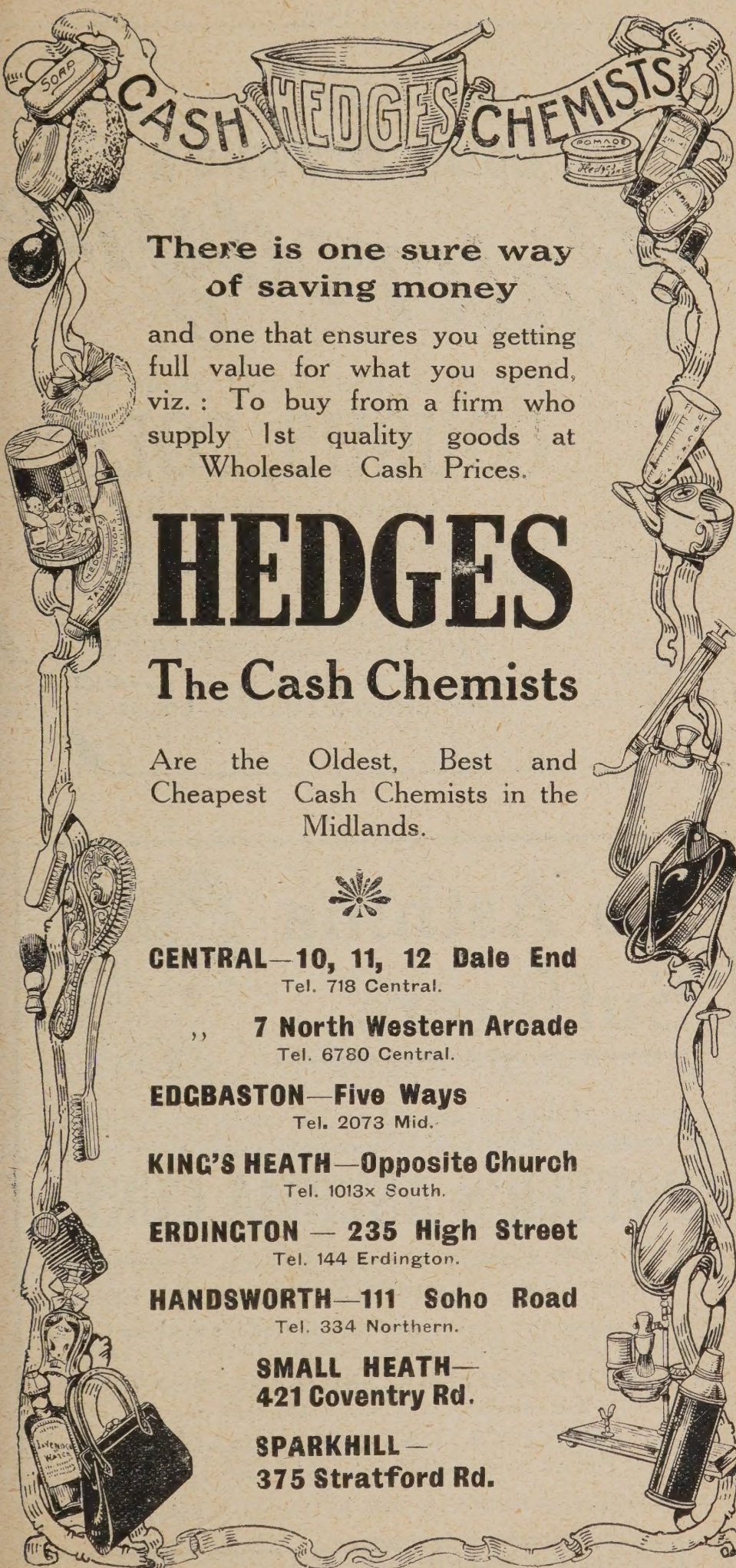
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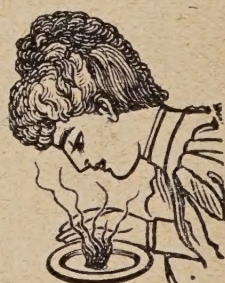
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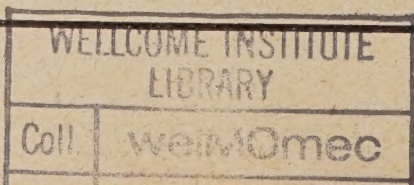
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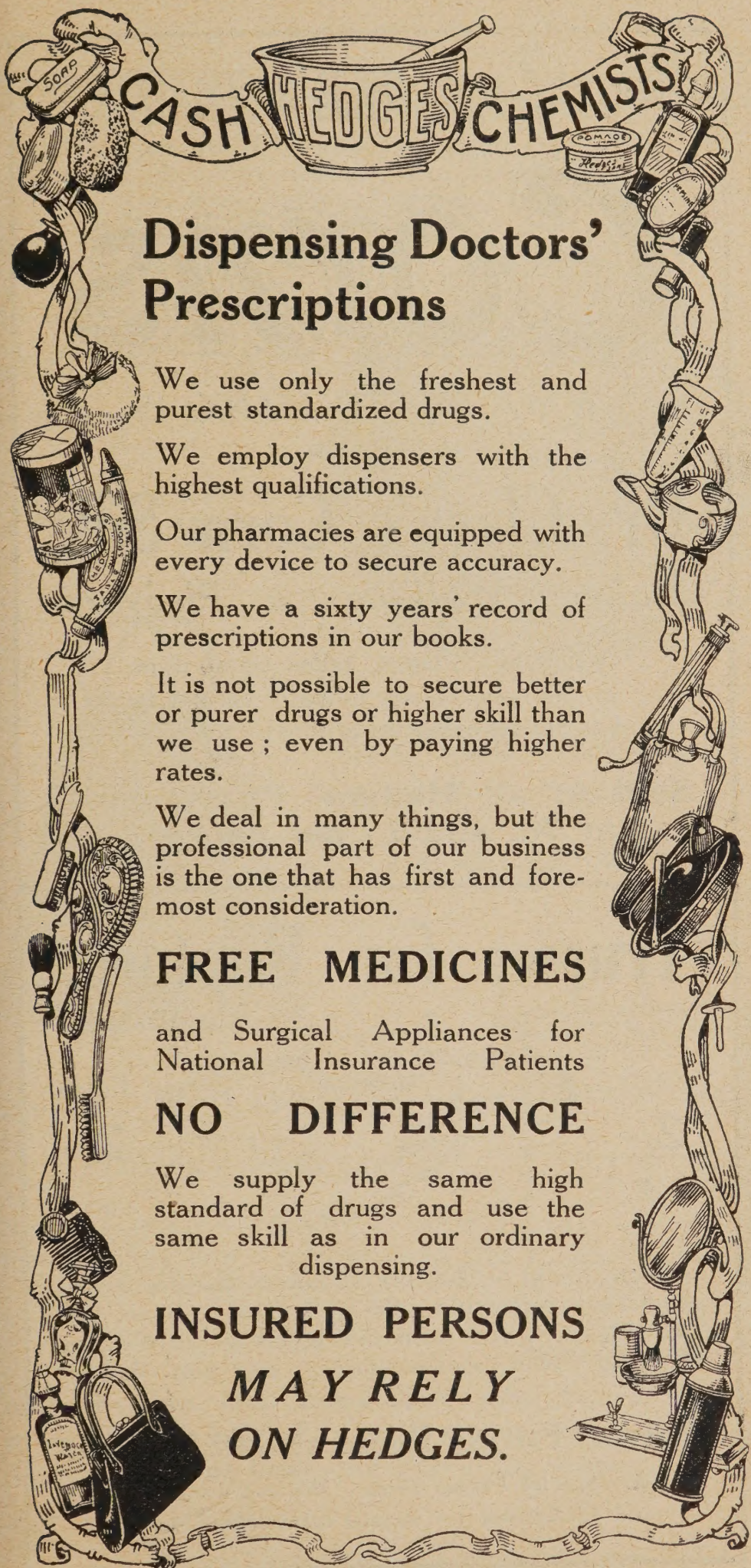
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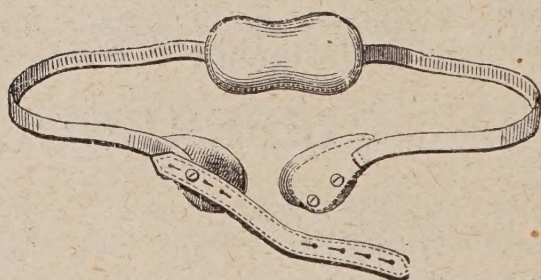
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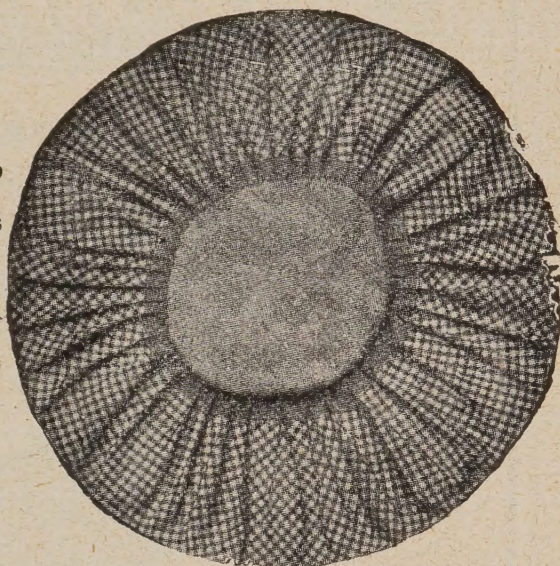
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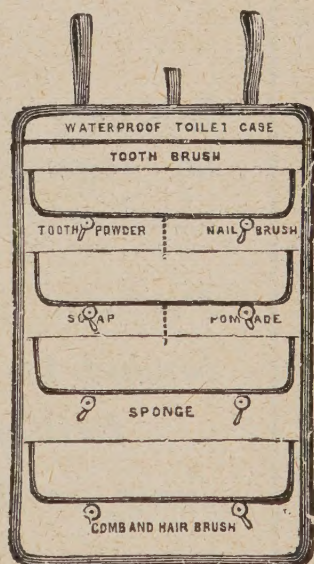
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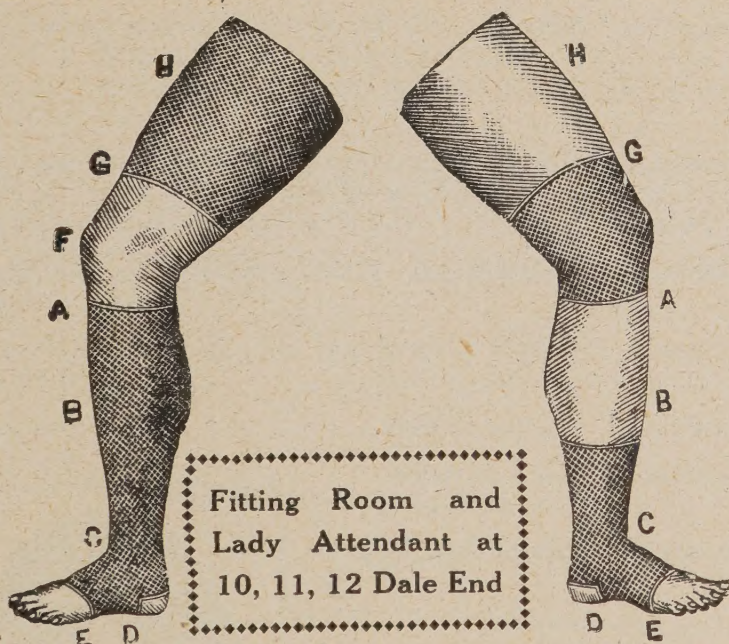
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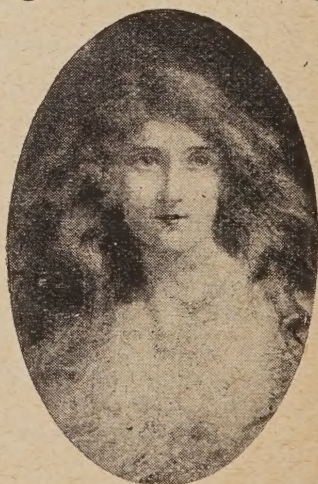
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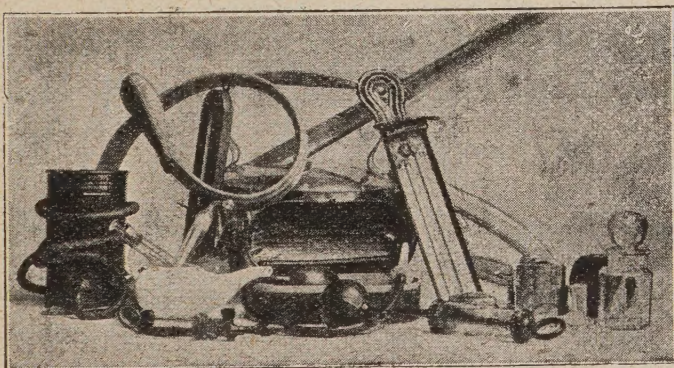
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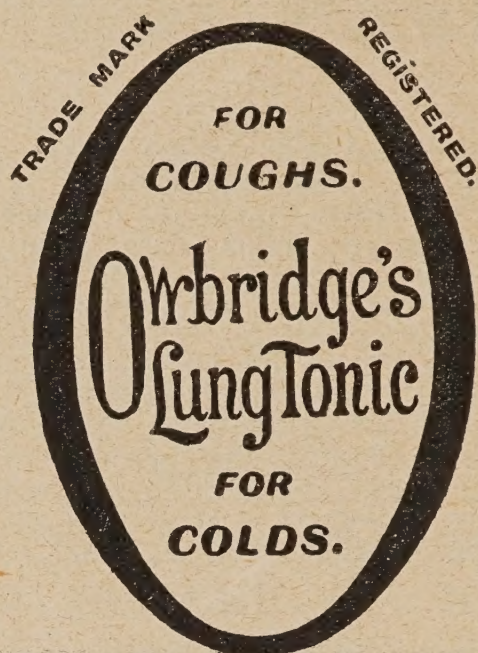
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" ... 4/6 size	—	4 0

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Developers—		
"Tabloid" Hydroquinone (Quinol) Developer ...	1 0	
(In cartons containing Hydroquinone, gr. 2, and Hydroquinone Accelerator—40 of each.)		
"Tabloid" Metol-Quinol Developer ...	1 0	
(In cartons containing Metol-Quinol and Metol-Quinol Accelerator—22 of each.)		
"Tabloid" Pyro-Metol Developer (Imperial Standard Formula) ...	1 0	
(In cartons containing Pyro-Metol Compound and Pyro-Metol Accelerator—22 of each.)		
"Tabloid" Pyro-Soda Developer (Ilford Formula) ...	1 0	
(In cartons containing Pyrogallie Acid, gr. 2, and Soda Compound—40 of each.)		
"Tabloid" "RYTOL" Universal Developer ...	1 0	
(TRADE MARK)		
(In cartons containing "Rytol" and "Rytol" Accelerator—22 of each.)		
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"Tabloid" Chromium Intensifier ...	0 6	
"Tabloid" Mercuric Iodide and Sodium Sulphite ...	0 6	
Reducer—		
"Tabloid" Ammonium Persulphate, gr. 11 ...	0 6	
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"Tabloid" Gold Toning Compounds. (Gold Chloride with:—Sodium Formate Compound, Sulphocyanide Compound, Sodium Phosphate, Sodium Tungstate, Sodium Bicarbonate, Borax or Thiosulphate Compound.)	each 1 0	
(In cartons containing sufficient for six toning baths.)		
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Potter's Asthma Cure ...	1 0	0 10½
Rheumatic Mixture ... 1/- size 10d.	2 9	2 1
Rosemary Cantharadine Hair Wash ...	1 0	0 8
Ross's Ruby Ointment (for Children's Heads) ...	0 6	0 3
Sanacine (Nature's Lung Healer), Liquid or Tabs.	1 11½	1 0
	2 9	2 6
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Ammoniated Quinine	...	...	...	...	10d. and 2/-
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Bismuth, Rhubarb and Soda	...	...	...	...	6d. and 1/4
Blaud Pill, gr. 5...	...	...	...	...	9d.
Calomel, gr. ½, gr. 1 and gr. 5	...	...	...	...	8d., 9d. and 1/2
Carlsbad Salt, Effervescent, Artificial	...	...	...	...	9d.
Cascara Sagrada (Dry Extract) gr. 2...	...	...	...	...	6d. and 1/2
Chlorate of Potash	...	...	bottles	...	5d. and 8d.
Chlorate of Potash and Borax metal boxes	...	...	...	...	4½d. and 8d.
“Coffee-Mint”	...	...	...	...	6d. and 1/-
Dover Powder (Ipecacuanha with Opium), gr. 5	...	...	...	...	7d. and 1/4
Easton Syrup, ½ and 1 teaspoonful	...	...	...	...	7d. and 1/4 ; 10d. and 2/-
“Gingament” (Neutralising Compound)	...	...	...	...	5d. and 10d.

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Ginger Essence (B.P. '85), min. 5 and min. 10,	...	...	...	...	8d. and 1/-
Glycerophosphates Compound, dr. ½	...	...	...	...	1/- and 3/-
Gregory Powder, gr. 5	...	...	...	...	6d. and 1/-
Grey Powder, gr. ½, gr. 1 and gr. 5...	...	...	...	...	6d., 7d. and 1/-
Hypophosphites Compound, gr. 3 (= 1 teaspoonful of standard syrup)	...	...	...	...	10d. and 2/-
Laxative Vegetable	...	...	...	...	7d. and 1/3
Liquorice Compound Powder, gr. 30...	...	...	...	...	7d. and 1/4
Lithium Citrate, Effervescent, B.P., gr. 60	...	...	...	...	1/-
“Pepana”	...	...	...	...	10d. and 2/9

(TRADE MARK)

Pepsin, Bismuth and Charcoal	...	...	...	...	9d. and 2/6
Phenacetin, gr. 5	...	...	...	...	6d. and 1/2
Phenacetin Compound	...	...	...	...	7d. and 1/8
Potassium Bromide, gr. 5	...	...	...	...	8d.
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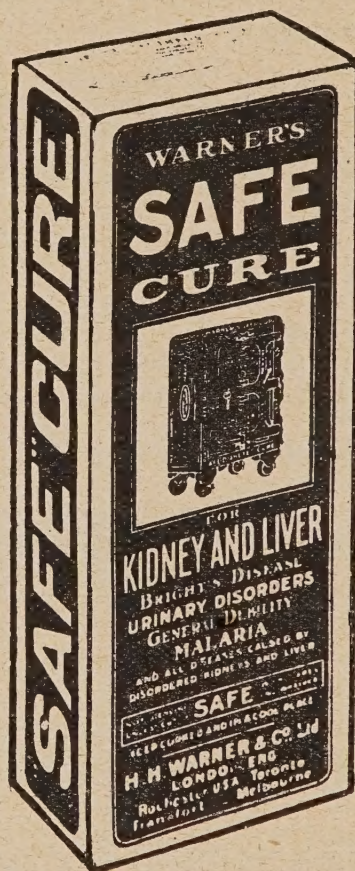
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"Tabloid" Brand Products—continued		
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Quinine Compound	8d. and 2/-	
Rhubarb and Gentian Compound	1/8	
Rhubarb, Soda and Magnesia	6d. and 1/-	
Saccharin, gr. $\frac{1}{2}$	7d., 11d. and 2/2	
"Saxin," gr. $\frac{1}{4}$	7d., 11d. and 2/2	
(TRADE MARK)		
Soda-Mint (<i>Neutralising</i>)	5d. and 10d.	
Sodium Salicylate (<i>Physiologically Pure</i>), gr. 5	8d. and 1/4	
Sulphonol, gr. 5	8d. and 2/-	
Trional, gr. 5	1/2 and 3/6	
Vichy Salt, Effervescent, Artificial	9d.	
Voice (Cocaine Co., Chlorate of Potash and Borax)	6d. and 10d.	
"Xaxa," gr. 5	8d. and 1/6	
(TRADE MARK)		
"Xaxa" and "Xaxaquin"	8d. and 2/-	
"Xaxaquin," gr. 3	9d. and 2/3	
(TRADE MARK)		
Other "Tabloid" Brand Products in stock or obtained to order.		
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Thermogene	2/9 size 2/6	1 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ 1 0
Varnish Stains, all shades	6d. size 4d.	1 0 0 8
Vio Capsules, Blood Forming		1 6 1 0
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1 lb. tins, hermetically sealed, 1/11.		
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Borated, 10d.		
Carbolated, 10d.		
Hair Tonic, 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ d., 1/8		
Veterinary, 1 lb. tins, 8d.		
Pomade, 4d. and 8d. per bot.		
"Sulpho-Vaseline" for dogs, jars 1/-, 5-lb. tins, 5/8		
Vigor Tonic	1/1 $\frac{1}{2}$ size 1/-	2 9 2 3
Warner's Safe Cure	2/9 size 2/6 $\frac{1}{2}$	4 6 3 11 $\frac{1}{2}$
" " Pills		1 0 0 10 $\frac{1}{2}$
Whooping Cough Embrocation 1/1 $\frac{1}{2}$ size 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ d.		2 9 2 0
Worm Powders for Children , each 1d., per doz.		— 0 8
Wright's Coal Tar Soap	per tab.	— 0 4
Wyeth Beef Juice, The Perfected		— 2 9
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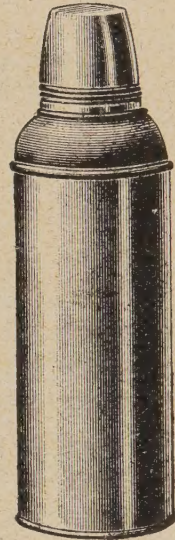
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(Overheard).

"Is that you, George—go *away* Exchange!—George, dear—"

"Well, what is it?"

"O, George, darling, don't speak so horridly—look here, I want you to bring something home with you——"

"Of course, well, what is it now?"

"Oh, doctor's just been and he says that Borated 'Vaseline' is perfectly *miraculous* for nasal catarrh—what's that—but it's *not* extravagant language, dear. He said that, *really*—or something like it——"

"Well, that's Borated 'Vaseline'—right-ho! Hurry up! and how much am I to pay?"

"You get it at the chemist's—go to Hedges': I like Hedges', the man there is always so obliging—at least to *me*!—what's that—No, we're *not* finished! Don't interrupt, please. . . . Oh, George, can't you tell that insistent voice to get off the wire. It's so annoying——"

"Lucy, don't you understand that I'm in the midst of my letters. . . . I can't hang on here all the——"

"O, bother the beastly letters! There's always something, and, George, before I forget it, doctor was telling me that Carbulated 'Vaseline' was much better than that funny stuff you were using for your cut finger. . . . Oh, I wish you wouldn't speak so abruptly about Doctor Jones, you *know* what trouble he took over your influen——"

"My dear, I wish you'd hurry and let me know just what you *do* want: I've got my letters to go through, and then there's an appointment with Saxonby, with a £2,000 contract hanging to it. . . . No, I suppose it *doesn't* matter so long as you get your Carbonised 'Vaseline'——"

"Carbolated 'Vaseline,' you goose—you know—for cuts, and wounds of all sorts—it heals up the skin in astonishing time, Doctor says—Get it—why, you silly old silly, at Hedges', the Chemists, to be sure . . . yes, that's right . . . same price, shilling tubes—and then, oh, George there's——"

"What, *more* of 'em!"

"Yes, George, do please listen, and don't be so snappy: what's Saxonby and his rubbishy £2,000 contract to Bobby's cold. . . . Of *course* he's got a cold . . . fine father *you* are, not to know, and there was I explaining to you for half-an-hour last night how I thought he caught it . . . yes, I suppose you *were* wool-gathering again, thinking of Saxonby's two thou——"

"Look here, Lucy, as it is I shall have to leave half my letters unread if I'm to catch Saxonby——"

"George, darling!"

"Well, what is it? For goodness' sake make *haste* . . . there, there! I'm sorry! . . . didn't mean it, old girl . . . what's that . . . oh, don't cry . . . no, of course, it doesn't matter about Saxonby . . . no nor even a '*hundred*' Saxonby's and a '*hundred*' two thousand——"

"Capsicum 'Vaseline,' George dear—don't forget! It's for rubbing the darling's chest and back for his cold. Doctor says you must be particular to rub the back *as well* as the chest, so as to reach the lungs properly. It's fine stuff, he says—better than all your mustard plasters—not so messy, cheaper in the end and . . . why, a shilling a tube like the others . . . now, George dear *don't* make me cry again . . . what? no, dear, bring all three of them *with* you. And, George! You might also—George's . . . George! . . . GEORGE!! . . . Oh, I say, it's too bad! . . . Exchange! . . . Are you there? Are you *there*? . . ."

"Number, please?"

"O, Exchange, you've cut us off in the middle——"

"Number, please?"

"Exchange, don't be so impertinent? You cut me off——"

C-r-r-r-r-rrle, c-r-r-r-r-rrle! c-c-c-crkle-crkle!

"Oh, what a *horrid* noise—Exchange!"

"Number, please?"

"I was trying to *tell* you, when you were so unmannerly as to——"

"Give me your *number*, please!"

"O, bother the number! I don't *want* any number now! I shall report you for impertinence——"

(Sudden dead silence. She hangs up receiver with a bang).